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ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.377, filed July 14, 2008, to accept and record a maintenance fee for the above-identified patent.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

In submitting maintenance fees and any necessary surcharges, identification of the patents for which maintenance fees are being paid must include a patent number and an application number. See 37 CFR 1.366(c).

A maintenance fee and surcharge intended for this patent were timely paid under 37 CFR 1.362(e). However, the payment failed to include the proper §1.366 identification. As a consequence, the payment was applied to the wrong patent.

Petitioner has identified the correct application number as 09/384,855. Since a mandatory identifier pursuant to § 1.366 accompanied the maintenance fee will be accepted for this patent.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3215.

The patent file is being forwarded to Files Repository.

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